

## MY SISTER B'NAI B'RITH GIRLS,

Ruach is special, not because of our great mascot or our super cool colors but because of each and every one of us. We have the potential to do so much. If we use it, then together we can create not just a strong chapter but also a strong sisterhood that will last longer the four short years we have in BBYO. At the end of the day, isn't that what BBG is all about?



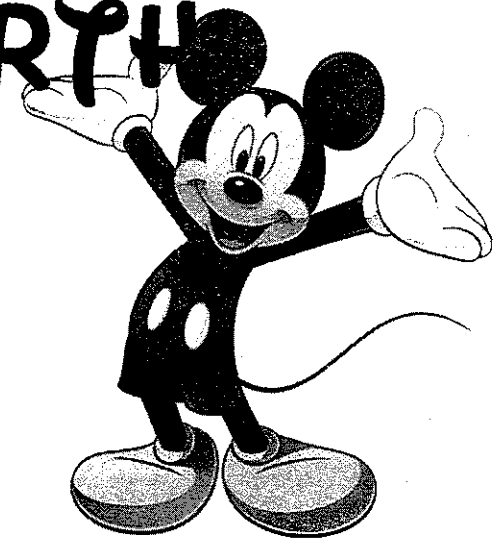
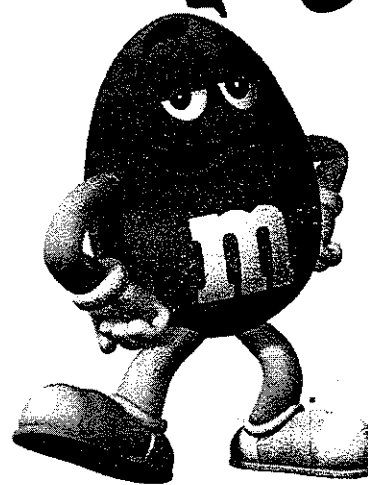
With so much undying love for Disney, Mickey Mouse, the Blue M&M, and every girl proud to call herself a B'nai B'rith Girl,  
I remain,

*Carly Taub*

Carly Rachel Taub

Proud candidate for the high and honorable position of Ruach BBG's N'siah for the 2013-2014 programming year

# RUACH BBG #83 THE HAPPIEST PLACE ON EARTH



CARLY RACHEL TAUB  
CANDIDATE FOR THE HIGH AND  
HONORABLE POSITION OF RUACH BBG'S  
20<sup>TH</sup> N'SIAH



## POSITIONS HELD

Devoted B'nai B'rith Girl	International Order	2010-Forever		
Dedicated Member	Ruach BBG #83	2010-Forever		
Aym ha-Chaverot	Ruach BBG #83		2012	2013
Six Fold Chairwoman	Ruach BBG #83		2012	
Passionate Member	Nefesh Yafa BBG #7685 (CLTC)		2012	
Enthusiastic Member	Simcha BBG #42 (YLC)	2011		

## EVENTS ATTENDED

Chapter Programs	Ruach BBG #83	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014*
Chapter Meetings	Ruach BBG #83	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014*
Chapter Fundraisers	Ruach BBG #83	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014*
Chapter Bittker	Ruach BBG #83			2012	2013	2014*
Chapter Installs	Ruach BBG #83		2011	2012	2013*	2014*
Chapter Senior Lives	Ruach BBG #83		2011	2012	2013*	2014*
Regional Convention	Michigan Region #63	2010	2011	2012	2013*	
YLC 2	Michigan Region #63		2011			
ETC	Michigan Region #63			2012		
CLTC 3	International Order			2012		
International Convention	International Order				2013	2014*
Impact Chicago	International Order				2013*	
March of the Living	International Order					2014*

## AWARDS RECEIVED

Eternal Light	International Order	2013
Silver Star of Deborah	International Order	2013

\*Denotes Planning on Attending

## Tradition

- Wear my BBG pin at each meeting
- Follow Parliamentary Procedure at chapter and executive board meetings
- Have Good and Welfare at the end of each meeting
- Sing the BBG Pep Song at the end of each chapter meeting
- Teach chapter, regional, and international cheers
- Have the annual six-fold sleepover, Thanksgiving sleepover, Super Bowl party, and chocolate Seder

## Parents

- Send a parent version of the Ruach Weekly to keep them informed
- Have a Parent Meeting at the beginning of the year to teach parents about BBYO
- Give my cell phone number and email to the parents in case they have any questions

## Communication and Attendance

- Send a colorful and organized Ruach Weekly out every Sunday
- Make sure executive board members are sending Sunday Updates on a weekly basis
- Use snail-mail invitations for important events
- Encourage older members to pick up younger members
- Use all resources to inform members of upcoming events, Facebook, Twitter, email, calling, texting, etc.
- Call inactive members personally to encourage them to attend events
- Have themed chapter meetings once a month and executive board meetings every other month to stay updated with each other
- Involve chapter members in planning functions





### Executive Board

- Have each board member set goals at the beginning of the years
- Have Mid-Year Evaluations to review the goals executive board members made at the beginning of the year
- Speak with all executive board members at least twice a month
- Have executive board members send in their programs 2 weeks before it occurs
- Hold board members to what they say they will do in their platforms and what their position entails
- Hold executive board meetings every other month

### Regional and International Involvement

- Have pen pals from other regions
- Get high attendance at regional events
- Keep in contact with my regional counterpart
- Attend VIP to connect with n'siot and godolim in the region
- Ensure members know about scholarships for Summer Programs

### Advisors

- Communicate with Ruach's advisors weekly to make sure things are running smoothly
- Make sure all programs and purchases have been approved
- Hold a special program during Advisor Appreciation Month (March)

### My Goals

- Help Ruach reach it's full potential
- Personally make sure that each girl feels welcomed into the chapter
- Inspire others to fall in love with Ruach and BBG like I have

### S'ganit

- Work with the S'ganit to create fun and original programs
- Push to program with every chapter in Michigan Region
- Hold at least two functions per month
- Have at least two six-fold programs per programming year
- Function with our Sister chapter and Brother chapter
- Allow members suggest and help plan programs, even if they are not on board
- Send a program report to the N'siah and advisors at least 2 weeks before the program occurs

### Aym ha-Chaverot

- Keep current members active through phone calls/texts/other ways of communication
- Call prospective members to inform them of upcoming events and make them feel welcomed
- Create a cool and inviting table for MKOD/Winter Kick-off
- Create a MIT book that is ready to be handed out by the first MIT function of the programming year
- Plan a MIT "curriculum" to teach the MITs about BBYO
- Hold MIT Board elections before RC, allowing each girl to experience what the executive board does
- Hold grade sleepovers to help each grade bond
- Create BBG feelings to fill out for every meeting
- Show seniors how much we care for them with unique senior appreciation programs
- Make an environment where all members feel welcome

### Sh'licha

- Educate the chapter in the "three forgotten folds" by planning successful and informational Social Action, Community Service, and Jewish Heritage programs
- Have a minimum of 100 hours of direct and indirect community service by ETC





- Send a program report to the N'siah and advisors at least 2 weeks before the program occurs
- Promote our Stand Up! cause by having an educational program about it

#### Gizbarit

- Set a budget to vote on at the first chapter meeting
- Hold a fundraiser every other month
- Promote the fundraiser to everyone in the world
- Regularly balance the checkbook
- Ensure girls save receipts are reimbursed in a timely manner
- Vote on a Stand Up! cause that is meaningful to us
- Set high goals for amounts to donate at RC and ETC
- Make sure all executive board members get purchases approved before having any needed materials for programs

#### Katvanit

- Have the Katvanit take minutes during each meeting
- Have the Katvanit turn the minutes into creative minutes to submit to the BBYO Regional Office monthly
- Work with the Katvanit to keep track of attendance at each event
- Promote all Summer Programs to the chapter
- Have Beau elections before Regional Convention

#### Mazkirot

- Make sure every girl gets a call from a Mazkirah weekly
- Switch the call lists up periodically to talk to new girls
- Create Google Doc for Mazkirot to submit their reports to, which allows exec members to look at and use to for planning for their upcoming programs
- Finish the Buzz Book by October and email it to the chapter

#### Orecho

- Submit a creative newspaper for the RC competition

- Encourage every member to contribute at least one article to the newspaper
- Make a list of potential article ideas so girls can choose to write about one
- Take many pictures at programs throughout the year so the scrapbook is easy to put together
- Encourage members to participate in scrapbooking

#### Sunshine Girl

- Send thank you cards to parents for use of their house, meals, etc.
- Make birthdays cards for members of the chapter
- Have a birthday party to celebrate everyone's birthday

#### RC Coordinator

- Explain what Regional Convention is to every member
- Keep sisterhood strong before and during the convention
- Have Song and Cheer written and Talent Show started before the end of the summer
- Have girls sign up for committees via email before the end of the summer
- Have all attending members participate in at least one event or committee during RC
- Promote practices and sleepovers and strongly encourage members to attend each one
- Show our spirit and sisterhood throughout the entire convention

#### Bittker Coordinator

- Send out Bittker Coordinator applications at least three months in advance
- Begin planning at least two months in advance
- Plan original programs to make the weekend fun
- Use the attendance point system to determine spots
- Promote Bittker to ensure that Ruach has 20 girls attending

